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### **PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME** **under C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

Sir:

For replying to the Office action dated **July 12, 2007** in the patent application identified above, Applicant(s) hereby requests an extension of time of **three months**, from **October 12, 2007** to **January 14, 2008**, the first business day following the Saturday, January 12, 2008 date that is six calendar months from the mailing date of the Office action.

Accompanying the EFS Web submission of this paper is an authorization to charge to a credit card the \$1,050 fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3) for reply within the third month.

Respectfully submitted,

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